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Rev. S. B. Vaught preached at

Stonega and Preacher creek last Sun-

day morning and afternoon.

their former home at Wise.

W. T. Hudgens has received his

Jos. L. Kelly spent a few days last

Dinwiddie Kilgore returned last

B. A. Chalkley and wife, of Cov-

The Ayers Mercantile and Manu-

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J. C. Lindsey, a prominent book

and friends at Coeburn and Wise.

week at Harlan C. H., Ky., on pro-

enter upon the duties of the office.

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week was a very rigid one.

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THURSDAY, AUG., 18 1898.

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Bg Stone Gap Post is clubbing be following papers at the following

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LOCAL ITEMS.

All kind of plow repairs at Lovell's.

.F. Jones spent several days last to Bristol. kat Coeburn. A.L. Sturm, of Olinger, spent May in the Gap.

the prettiest thing in a summer net is a good looking face.

U.R. Evans, of Brick Store, was the Gap last Saturday.

lon R. T. Irvine went to Jonesa Sunday night.

lay your shoes and clothing at tat Lovell's.

Allen Rogers, of Stonega, spent a days in the Gap last week. The floods last week did extensive

which they are selling cheap. Call lage in this section. early and get your choice of prints, &c. the medicine show tast week atted quite a crowd each night. commission as deputy marshal for

McCormack, of Bristol, was this district, and is now ready to the Gap Monday. complete line of Hardware and cories cheap at Lovell's.

W. N. Anderson, of Barbourville, was registered at the Interment of public school teachers at Wise last

I, C. McDowell, Jr, went to swille Monday night on profes-

M. Peck and C. T. Swain, of distown, Tenn., were in the Gap Friday night from a visit to relatives

he Ayers Mercantile and Manuington, Ky., are visiting in the Gap, aring Co. have just received a ge lot of tobacco and cigars. Mrs. A. M. Rogers.

tile Beve Flanary, son of Mr. Mrs. Robert Flanary, is ill with

of W. H. Jones, principal of the Stone Gap High School returned to suit everyboly.

he Gap Sunday night. lisa Lula Moore returned last sk from Wise, where she attended county normal.

or two on business. Miss Sallie Gilly returned from

ending the county normal at Wise publisher, of Chicago, spent a few days the past week in the Gap visit-

The Ayers Mercautile and Manuing his father, Dr. Frank Lindsey. turing Co. have just received a Master Clyde Lindsey, of Norton, but not so sure about not being burise line of groceries. French soups, is visiting his grandparents, Dr. ed. It looks mightly like a grave-and Mrs. Lindsey, in the Gap. ilornia peaches, olive oils, &c.

WANTED! WANTED!!

At Toms Creek, Wise Co., Va. 100 Coal Miners and 25 Coke Drawers.

Steady work guaranteed and comfortable homes furnished. For fur-CARTER, Pulaski, Va., or H. HARDA-WAY, Georgel, Wise Co., Va.

TOMS CREEK COAL & COKE CO.

Miss Mama Goodloe and brother, John, of Nelson county, Va., are visiting relatives in the Gap.

Tom G. Alderson, of Abingdon, spent Monday night in the Gap en onte to Wise.

Mrs. D. B. Wentz and Miss Richards left Tuesday for Pennsylvania on a visit to relatives.

If you want anything in the hardware line call at Ayers Mercantile and Manufacturing Company's store.

We understand that quite a number of young ladies from this section will attend school at Martha Washington College this year. We understand that the Kentucky

side of the Black mountain road has

been let to contract and that work

will be commenced on it in a few Why not buy the Chattanooga Chilled plows at 33 1 % discount at

The Ayers Mercantile and Manufacturing Co. have a large line of first-class umbarellas, which they are selling all the way from 75 cents to of the Kentucky Conference. There

Lovell's

Judge W. F. Rhea, the able standard bearer of the democratic party in the ninth district, spent Sunday in the Gap on his way to Jonesville, where he addressed the people of Lee county Monday.

Miss Eula Young returned last Thursday night from attending the normal at Wise. Miss Young passed a very creditable examination and She will probably teach this year.

Help is wanted when the nerves become weak and appetite fails. Hood's Sarsaparilla gives help by making the blood rich and pure.

Rev. R. G. Matheson, the Presby terian minister from Gate City, filled his regular rppointment at this place last Sunday. Services were held in the Episcopal church.

Misses Rachel and Margaret Mc-Cauley, who spent a couple of weeks visiting the Misses Fox in the Gap, returned to their home at Louisville Judge Skeen went to Coeburn tolast Wednesday night.

J. L. Kelly went to Wise today on Lee county Saturday. The Captain, who is one of the most influential W. S. Palmer spent a few days in republicans in his county, is not at all pleased with the nomination his party tion, coughs and colds. This is the made so by Buckingham's Dye for Taylor, You can buy best French worsted has made for Congress in this dis-

Summer wash and white goods at Spring.

Dr. M. L. Stallard, of Norton, spent W. J. Horsley, proprietor of Hotel Saturday night in the Gap en route Intermont, is the champion fisherman James W. Fox returned Sunday of Big Stone Gap, On Tuesday of morning from a business trip to New this week he caught a string of nine of the finest bass you most ever saw. Mr. Horsley is also a first class gard-Miss Sarah Lovell left today for ener and has one of the finest gardens Russell county on a visit to relatives. in this section.

Her father accompanied her as far as Deputy Collector Kilbourn and Judge T. M. Alderson attorney for Deputy Marshal Hudgins went down the western district of Virginia, and the L. & N. Tuesday night on a wife spent Saturday night in the Gap lookout for moonshiners. Near Haon their return to Abingdon from gan, Lee county, they captured two very large stills, one of which they brought back with them to the Gap. The Ayers Mercantile and Manufacturing Company have just received Policeman Gilly accompanied them a large line of dry goods and notions, on this raid.

paper to the editor of the Times, Mr. J. A. Faw, and the Courier has ceased as a daily paper. Mr. Faw the meager accounts, that a tremen- of Byron: has consolidated the two papers under the heading of the "Times-Courier." You can buy No. 7 Step Stove with Weekly Courier. From all accounts the examination

The following gentlemen from Stonega were registered at the Intermont Saturday: G. H. Esser, Jos. Fawbush, M. S. Gilly, Jos. Brooks, H. O'Neal, P. Haney, C. G. Duffy, T. J. Black, H. P. Smith, Robert Cook, T. H. Matters.

Mrs. C. D. Kunkel, who was bruised considerably in the railroad wreck near Pennington Gap on the the guests of Mr. Chalkley's sister, night of the 9th inst., returned to the Gap last Thursday morning. Her injuries are not serious and she is geeting along very well at this writing. Her husband, who had gone to Corbin returned to the Gap

Topeka, Kan., boy with the regulars at Santiago has written to his Roanoke, where he will spend a day home folks as follows. "I have received the paper which says I am killed and am buried in Cuba. I am not feeling so bedoggedly lively in this hot hole, but still I am inclined to disbelieve the report. In fact, I am pretty certain that I am alive, but not so sure about not being buri-

A clean town adds to the comfort and convenience of every citizen. It is an advertisement of the place much more than the cost of cleaning. It retains the digested food too long in the bowel creates a favorable impression among and produc

strangers; it attracts population and wealth to a place. A clean town pays the biggest kinds of dividends because it prevents disease and promotes business.

A New Advertisement.

We call attention to the advertisement of G. A. Moore in another column in this issue. Mr. Moore manufactures all kinds of furniture and furnishes it to the public at a very reasonable price. Call and examine his stock when you are in need of furniture of any kind.

Will Be Here Friday.

Dr. G. M. Peavler, the noted eye, ear and nose specialist of Bristol, will be in the Gap on next Friday the 19th inst.

Just What She Needed.

"My appetite was very poor and I was troubled with dyspepsia and was very weak. After I had taken a few have a bilious look; if your stomach bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I could is disordered, you have a dyspeptic eat anything I wished, could sleep look; if your kidneys are affected, you well and was much stronger." Mrs. have a pinched look. Secure good JOHN J. MARTIN, Werrington, North health, and you will surely have good Fawbush.

Hood's Pills care all liver ills. Easy to take, easy to operate; reliable, sure. 25c.

Dedication.

The M. E. Church at Pennington Gap, Lee county, Va., will be dedicated the 2nd Sunday in September. The sermon will be preached by Rev. W. H. Childers, the great evangelist will be dinner on the ground. Every body invited to come.

I. B. Giles, Pastor.

Emory and Henry College. It gives us pleasure to call our readers attention to the advertisement of Emory and Henry College in this

paper for the following reasons: Emory and Henry is one of the best Craddock charging the company with Colleges in the South. Her past record is most enviable. Her sons are the pride of their professions, and are to pay for a revenue stamp which the Gap ball players crossed bats in a office in the town of Gladeville, Va., or received a second class certificate. found among the leaders from sea to

students that go beyond the College the defendant company, that the said Gap. into the great Universities often tax is one of the costs and charges attest the good work of their Alma

Mater by bearing off the honors there. business of the defendant. It was, The location of Emory and Henry therefore, perfectly clear that the deis admirable for study. Retired from the world with its push and its passion, the Emory boy, like the shepherd girl of France and the Shepherd boy of Judea, may fit himself to become a leader of men.

An Enterprising Druggist.

There are few men more wide without intending to establish a preawake and enterprising than J. W. cedent, the minimum fine of \$100 Kelly who spare no pains to secure would be imposed upon the defendant. Captain H. C. Slemp was up from the best of everything in their line -Bedford Bulletin for their many customers. They now have the valuable agency for Dr. King's New Discovery for consumpsuch a furor all over the country by brown or black, its many startling cures. It abso-Miss Sallie A. Barron returned lutely cures asthma, bronchitis, Thursday night from Wise, where hoarseness and all affections of the she attended the county normal, throat, chest and lungs. Call at Dungannon on the Clinch the Miss Barron has been employed to above drug store and get a trial botteach the school near the Sulphur tle free or a regular size for 50 cents and \$1.00. Guaranteed to cure or price refunded.

Terrible Flood and Cloud Burst.

A dispatch from Rogersville, Tenn., lated August 13th, says:

Meager details of a horrible catastrophe occurring near Beach Creek, in lives as the result of a cloudburst, ferns, variegated with choice flowers. it is ordered that he do appear here with have reached here.

from Rogersville and away from tele-Curran, of Knoxville, sister of the further ordered that a copy hereof be pub graph or telephone connections. The details as far as obtainable are that Father P. F. Bourke, of Abingdon, Big Stone Gap Post, and that a copy b the whole family of William Figgles, Va., officiated in a pretty and impreswith the exception of Wm. Figgles, sive ceremony. were swept away to a watery grave. The loss of life in three other families Mr John Slack, editor of the Bris- in the neighborhood make up the of whom there were many, "tipped tol daily Courier, has sold out his total of seventeen. As yet only the light fantastic" to the strains of thirteen of the bodies have been recovered. The indications are from dons quantity of water fell and tore "A thousand hearts beat happily, down the hills along the narrow val- Music arose with a voluptious swell. the heading of the "Times-Courier." down the line along the hard log Soft eyes looked love to eyes that spoke W. L. Nottingham, Plaintiff,)
Mr. Slack will still continue the ley where the people lived in small log again.

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the remainder of the bodies and are doing all they can to relieve the

sufferers along the track of the deluge,

who lost tences and crops and barely

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escaped with their lives.

store. 50 cents per bottle.

Express Company Fined.

age weighing less than five pounds

addressed to T. M. Jones, Bonsack,

Va. A warrant was sworn out by

demanding one cent in excess of their

BIG STONE GAP, VA.

Stonega vs. Big Stone Gap.

LastSaturday morning the Stonega and Big Stone Gap base ball teams July, 1898. Good looks are really more than crossed bats at this place, and a nice Goldman, Beckman & Co., Piff.) was so nervous I could not sleep. I healthy condition of all the vital resulted in a score of 8 to 9 in favor and interesting game followed, which organs. If the liver is inactive, you of the Stonega boys.

Following is the names of the players on each feam. STONEGA.

Innings-1 2 3 4 5 6 7 looks. "Electric Bitters" is a good Pickering, s s, 0 alterative and tonic. Acts directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, Esser, f b, 0 purrfies the blood, cures pimples, Brooks, 16, 10 0 blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaran-teed. Sold at J. W. Kelly's drug 0 0 Runs-2 4 1 1 1 0 0-9 BIG STONE GAP. Innings-1 2 3 4 5 6 In the mayor's court of Lynchburg Carden, 3., Friday morning the mayor fined the Chalkley, Southern Express Company \$100 Wentz, E., Carden, L., and costs for charging greater rates Wentz, D., than the law allows, from which de- Bullitt, cision the defendants will take an appeal. On July 7, J. W. Craddock Goodio offered for transportation to the Southern Express Company a pack Runs-1 0 2 3 1 1 0-8

> East Stone Gap vs. Big Stone Gap.

work abreast of the times. Her this tax was intended to be borne by score of 15 to 8 in favor of East Stone

Following are the names of the

fendant company had demanded and Blanton, received a sum greater than the max- Kennedy, B., 3 b, imum amount prescribed by law, and Pickering, greater than the sum mentioned in Gilly, their printed and posted schedule, Wells, This was a violation of both the McCorkle, 0 0 0 0 0 This was a violation of both the Bramer, rf, spirit and letter of the law. But, be- Kennedy, P., 1 b. ing a test case, the Court, stated that Runs-0 0 2 1 3 1 2 6 -15 BIG STONE GAP. Innings-1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Gilmer. A discolored, faded or gray beard | Wentz, E., does not appear tidy, but may be Carden, L., rf. 0

CURRAN-HAGAN.

Scene of a Pretty Wedding.

A most beautiful and impressive marriage was celebrated at the elegant mansion of Hon. Patrick Hagan, near Dungannon, Va., on the 11th instant. The contracting parties were Mr. Thomas Curran, a prominent young business man of Knoxoldest daughter of Mr. Hagan.

The place is sixteen miles distant brother of the bride, and Miss Kate of, and do what may be necessary to pro groom, were the attendants. Rev. lished once a week for four weeks in The

> After a sumptuous feast, an enjoyable dance was given, and the guests, sweet music till a late hour.

We could but think of the words

And all went merry as a marriage bell." The happy couple will make their future home in Knoxville. May life's choice blessings accompany them shackled until, by the course of unrelenting nature, the sands have all flowp .- Bristol Times.

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Respectfully,

C. W. RENFRO.

Judge Rhea's Appointments. Judge Wm. F. Rhea, the democratic nominee for congress in this district, will address the citizens of Lee county at the following times and places: Monday, Aug. 15, court day Jonesville.

Tuesday, "16, 11 a. m., Ewing. ", 7:30 p. m., Specks Chapel Wednesday," 17, 2:30 p.m., Curry College. Thursday, "18, 11 a. m., Blackwater. Friday, "19, 11 a. m. Pennington Gap Saturday, " 20, 11 a. m., Turkey Cove

W. H. Boxo, p. q.

incident to the conducting of the players on each team.

ORDER OF PERLICATION. In the clerk's office of the circuit court of the county of Wise on the 26th day of

B. C. Ramer, Plaintiff, against Jeremiah Stair et al, De'ft.)

The object of this suit is to extract from Jeremiah Stair the title to a tract of land situated near Coeburn, Virginia, containing about eight acres, adjoining the lands ville, Tenn., and Miss Eugenia, the of I. N. Mills, James J. Counts and others, and to vest the same in the plaintiff The spacious parlor was most And an affidavit having been made and which seventeen persons lost their beautifully decorated with festoons of filed that the defendant, Jeremiah Stair, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, Mr. Chas, F. Hagan, of this city, in fifteen days after due publication here posted at the front door of the court-house of this county on the first day of the next term of the county court.

A copp-Teste:
W. E. Kilgore, Clerk. By C. A. Johnson, D. C. W. H. BOND, p. q.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION. In the clerk's office of the circuit court

of the county of Wise on the 26th day o July, 1898. against James Gross et al, Defend't.

The object of this suit is to sell the house and lot on Nottingham Street, in the town of Gladeville, owned be W. Nottingham at the time of his death, and in the checkered journey of life, after the payment of the debts which are May time ever deal gently with them, charged against the same to divide the and oh! may the scythe be bound and residue of the proceeds of the sale among the heirs and distributees of said Nottingham. And an afficavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Ida Cornett, Captocia Arnold, John Notting-ham, James Gross, Mand Salyer and Shitela Salver, are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within filteen days after due gust 1896. I will run a hack between Wise C. H. and Ramsay, twice each necessary to protect their interest in this

> A coy-Teste: W. E. KILGORE, Clerk, By C. A. JOHNSON, D. C. W. H. BOND, p. q.

the first day of the next term of the county

tucky Coke made by A. S. McCreath 

ORDER OF PUBLICATION. In the clerk's office of the circuit court of the county of Wise on the 25th day of

J. H. Millinder & Co. et al, Dft.

The object of this suit is to recover of

Newton N. Millinder and Wayne B. guson, surviving members of the late firm of J. H. Millinder & Co., the sum of \$220.85, with interest thereon from the first day of May, 1898, 'till paid; and to attach the property of the said defendants in Wise county, and the debts que to said Company by the United States Fire Insurance Company and the Virginia State Insurance Company. And an attachment having been returned levied on the estate of the said defendents. And an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendants, Newton N. Millinder and Wayne B. Ferguson are not residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within fifteen days after due publi ation hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect their interest iv this suit. And it is furthered ordered that a copy hereof be -published once a week for four weeks in The Big Stone Gap Post, and that a copy be posted at the word door of the court-house of this connty on the first day of the next term of the

county court A copy-Teste: W. E. KILGORE, Clerk, By C. A. Johnson, D. C.

COMMISSIONER'S SITTING. As Commissioner in the chancery cause

of Hazen, Lotspeich and Thomas vs. S. A. Collier et al, now pending in the Circuit In the afternoon on last Saturday Court of Wise County and pursuant to the published charges, the one cent being the East Stone Gap and Big Stone requirements of a decree entered in said cause on April 8th, 1898, I will sit at my company placed upon the receipt for match game at this place. The the 25th day of August, 1898, to take an the package. The court expressed game was witnessed by a large numitself as being clearly of opinion that ber of people, and the result was a by S. A. Collier, now or formerly, upon the times. Her this tax was intended to be borne by score of 15 to 8 in favor of East Stone lien; secondly, all the judgments or other liens that exist against said real-estate and their priorities; third, whether or no the real-estate now owned by the said Collier will in five years pay off and discharge the judgment liens against it. W. H. Bono,

iv28 30-33 Commissioner.

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